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SUBJECT: GA PLENARY:DECOLONIZATION:DRAFT RES ON DECLARATION  
ON GRANTING INDEPENDENCE

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF DRAFT RES ON "IMPLEMENTATION OF  
DECLARATION ON GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL  
COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES", WHICH MAY BE VOTED ON IN  
PLENARY DEC 11. REQUEST VOTING INSTRUCTIONS.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

- (1) RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 1514 (XV) OF 14 DECEMBER  
1960, CONTAINING THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPEN-  
DENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES, AND ITS RESOLUTION  
2621 (XXV) OF 12 OCTOBER 1970, CONTAINING THE PROGRAMME  
OF ACTION FOR THE FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION,
  - (2) RECALLING ALL ITS PREVIOUS RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION, IN PARTICULAR RESOLUTION  
3163 (XXVIII) OF 14 DECEMBER 1973,
  - (3) CONDEMNING THE CONTINUED COLONIALIST AND RACIST REPRESSION  
OF MILLIONS AFRICANS, IN NAMIBIA BY THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH  
AFRICA, RESULTING FROM ITS PERSISTENT, ILLEGAL OCCUPATION  
OF THE INTERNATIONAL TERRITORY, AND IN ZIMBA WE BY THE ILLEGAL  
RACIST MINORITY REGIME, AS A RESULT OF THE FAILURE OF THE
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GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN

IRELAND TO TAKE EFFECTIVE MEASURES TO PUT AN END TO THAT REGIME,  
(4) STRONGLY DEPRECATING THE POLICIES OF THOSE STATES WHICH,  
IN DEFIANCE OF THE RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS,  
CONTINUE TO COLLABORATE WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH AFRICA  
AND WITH THE ILLEGAL RACIST MINORITY REGIME IN SOUTHERN  
RHODESIA, THUS PERPETUATING THEIR DOMINATION OF THE PEOPLES  
IN THE TERRITORIES CONCERNED,

(5) WELCOMING THE CHANGES IN THE COLONIAL POLICY OF PORTUGAL  
AND THE CONSTRUCTIVE STEPS SO FAR TAKEN TOWARDS THE FULL  
AND SPEEDY IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION WITH RESPECT  
TO THE AFRICAN TERRITORIES UNDER ITS ADMINISTRATION,  
AND CONVINCED THAT THE PROCESS OF DECOLONIZATION WILL BE  
ACCELERATED FURTHER IN SOUTHERN AFRICA AS A DIRECT RESULT  
OF THE INTENSIFIED ACTIVITIES OF THE NATIONAL LIBERATION  
MOVEMENT CONCERNED, AS WELL AS OF THE CHANGES BROUGHT ABOUT  
BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL,

(6) WELCOMING ALSO THE POSITIVE MOVES TOWARDS SELF-DETERMINA-  
TION AND INDEPENDENCE IN SOME OF THE REMAINING TERRITORIES,  
IN PARTICULAR NIUE, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, THE SEYCHELLES AND  
THE COMORO ARCHIPELAGO, BUT DEEPLY CONCERNED AT THE SLOW  
PROGRESS IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION AS REGARDS MANY  
OTHER TERRITORIES, DESPITE THE ENCOURAGING, BUT LIMITED,  
POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT WHICH HAS RECENTLY  
TAKEN PLACE,

(7) NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THE CONSTRUCTIVE RESULTS ACHIEVED  
AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE INCREASED CO-OPERATION AND THE ACTIVE  
PARTICIPATION IN THE WORK OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ADMINISTERING POWERS CONCERNED,  
AS WELL AS THE READINESS OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF AUSTRALIA,  
NEW ZEALAND, PORTUGAL AND THE UNITED KINGDOM TO RECEIVE  
UNITED NATIONS VISITING MISSIONS TO THE TERRITORIES UNDER  
THEIR ADMINISTRATION, AND DEEPLY DEPLORING THE NEGATIVE  
ATTITUDE OF THOSE ADMINISTERING POWERS WHICH DESPITE  
THE REPEATED APPEALS ADDRESSED TO THEM BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AND THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE, PERSIST IN THEIR REFUSAL TO  
CO-OPERATE WITH THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN THE DISCHARGE  
OF THE MANDATE ENTRUSTED TO IT BY THE ASSEMBLY,

(8) REITERATING ITS CONVICTION THAT THE TOTAL ERADICATION OF  
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, APARTHEID AND VIOLATIONS OF BASIC  
HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLES IN COLONIAL TERRITORIES WILL  
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BE ACHIEVED WITH THE GREATEST SPEED BY THE FAITHFUL  
AND COMPLETE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION,  
(9) NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE  
REPRESENTATION OF THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS CONCERNED  
IN THE WORK OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE, THE UNITED NATIONS COUNCIL  
FOR NAMIBIA AND THE FOURTH COMMITTEE, AND EXPRESSING  
ITS APPRECIATION OF THEIR ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN THE RELEVANT  
PROCEEDINGS OF THOSE ORGANS,

(10) NOTING WITH APPRECIATION THE WORK ACCOMPLISHED BY THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE WITH A VIEW TO SECURING THE EFFECTIVE AND COMPLETE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION AND OTHER RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS, IN PARTICULAR THE CONSTRUCTIVE RESULTS ACHIEVED AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE VISITING MISSIONS DISPATCHED BY THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN 1974 TO THE COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS, THE GILBERT AND ELLICE ISLANDS AND NIUE,

1. REAFFIRMS ITS RESOLUTIONS 1514 (XV) AND 2621 (XXV) AND ALL OTHER RESOLUTIONS ON DECLONIZATION, AND CALLS UPON THE ADMINISTERING POWERS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THOSE RESOLUTIONS, TO TAKE ALL THE NECESSARY STEPS TO ENABLE THE DEPENDENT PEOPLES OF THE TERRITORIES CONCERNED TO EXERCISE FULLY AND WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY THEIR INALIENABLE RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE;

2. APPROVES THE REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE SITUATION WITH REGARD TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES COVERING ITS WORK DURING 1974, INCLUDING THE PROGRAMME OF WORK ENVISAGED FOR 1975;/1/

3. CALLS UPON ALL STATES, IN PARTICULAR THE ADMINISTERING POWERS, AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR THE SPEEDY IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION AND THE RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS;

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4. AFFIRMS ONCE AGAIN THAT THE CONTINUATION OF COLONIALISM IN ALL ITS FORMS AND MANIFESTATIONS -INCLUDING RACISM, APARTHEID AND THE ACTIVITIES OF FOREIGN ECONOMIC AND OTHER INTERESTS WHICH EXPLOIT COLONIAL PEOPLES, AS WELL AS THE WAGING OF COLONIAL WARS TO SUPPRESS THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS OF THE COLONIAL TERRITORIES IN AFRICA - IS INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES AND POSES A SERIOUS THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY;

5. REAFFIRMS ITS RECOGNITION OF THE LEGITIMACY OF THE STRUGGLE OF THE PEOPLES UNDER COLONIAL AND ALIEN DOMINATION TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE BY ALL THE NECESSARY MEANS AT THEIR DISPOSAL, AND NOTES WITH SATISFACTION THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS OF THE COLONIAL TERRITORIES, PARTICULARLY IN AFRICA, BOTH THROUGH THEIR STRUGGLE AND THROUGH RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAMMES, TOWARDS THE NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE OF THEIR COUNTRIES;

6. CONDEMNS THE CONTINUED INFLUX OF FOREIGN IMMIGRANTS INTO THE COLONIAL TERRITORIES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA AND THE EVICTION AND DISPLACEMENT OF THE INDIGENOUS INHABITANTS IN THOSE TERRITORIES, AS WELL AS THE INTENSIFIED ACTIVITIES OF

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FOREIGN ECONOMIC AND OTHER INTERESTS WHICH ARE IMPEDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION WITH RESPECT TO THE TERRITORIES;

7. URGES ALL STATES AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM TO PROVIDE MORAL AND MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO ALL PEOPLES UNDER COLONIAL AND ALIEN DOMINATION STRUGGLING FOR THEIR FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE, IN PARTICULAR TO THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS OF THE TERRITORIES IN AFRICA IN CONSULTATION, AS APPROPRIATE, WITH THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY;

8. REQUESTS ALL STATES, DIRECTLY AND THROUGH THEIR ACTION IN THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM, TO WITHHOLD OR CONTINUE TO WITHHOLD ASSISTANCE OF ANY KIND FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH AFRICA AND FROM THE ILLEGAL RACIST MINORITY REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA UNTIL THEY RENOUNCE THEIR POLICY OF COLONIAL DOMINATION AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION;

9. CALLS UPON THE COLONIAL POWERS TO WITHDRAW IMMEDIATELY AND UNCONDITIONALLY THEIR MILITARY BASES AND INSTALLATIONS FROM COLONIAL TERRITORIES AND TO REFRAIN FROM ESTABLISHING NEW ONES;

10. REQUESTS ALL GOVERNMENTS AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES

AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY, TO ENSURE THE REPRESENTATION OF THE COLONIAL TERRITORIES IN AFRICA BY THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS CONCERNED, IN AN APPROPRIATE CAPACITY, WHEN DEALING WITH MATTERS PERTAINING TO THOSE TERRITORIES;

11. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE TO SEEK SUITABLE MEANS FOR THE IMMEDIATE AND FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS 1514 (XV) AND 2621 (XXV) IN ALL TERRITORIES WHICH HAVE NOT YET ATTAINED INDEPENDENCE AND, IN PARTICULAR, TO FORMULATE SPECIFIC PROPOSALS FOR THE ELIMINATION OF THE REMAINING MANIFESTATIONS OF COLONIALISM AND TO REPORT THEREON TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTIETH SESSION;

12. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO MAKE CONCRETE SUGGESTIONS WHICH COULD ASSIST THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN CONSIDERING APPROPRIATE MEASURES UNDER THE CHARTER WITH REGARD TO DEVELOPMENTS IN COLONIAL TERRITORIES THAT ARE LIKELY TO THREATEN INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY, AND RECOMMENDS THAT THE COUNCIL TAKE SUCH SUGGESTIONS FULLY INTO CONSIDERATION;

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13. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE TO EXAMINE THE COMPLIANCE OF MEMBER STATES WITH THE DECLARATION AND WITH OTHER RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS ON DECOLONIZATION, PARTICULARLY THOSE RELATING TO NAMIBIA AND SOUTHERN RHODESIA;

14. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE TO PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE SMALL TERRITORIES, INCLUDING THE SENDING OF VISITING MISSIONS THERETO AS APPROPRIATE, AND TO RECOMMEND TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THE MOST SUITABLE METHODS AND ALSO THE STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO ENABLE THE POPULATIONS OF THESE TERRITORIES TO EXERCISE FULLY AND WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE;

15. CALLS UPON THOSE ADMINISTERING POWERS WHICH HAVE NOT DONE SO TO CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN THE DISCHARGE OF ITS MANDATE AND, IN PARTICULAR, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE RELATING TO THE TERRITORIES UNDER THEIR ADMINISTRATION AND TO PERMIT THE ACCESS OF VISITING MISSIONS TO THE TERRITORIES IN ORDER TO SECURE FIRST-HAND INFORMATION AND ASCERTAIN THE WISHES AND ASPIRATIONS OF THEIR INHABITANTS;

16. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE TO ENLIST THE SUPPORT OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS HAVING A SPECIAL INTEREST IN THE FIELD OF DECOLONIZATION IN THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE OBJECTIVES OF THE DECLARATION AND IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS, AND IN PARTICULAR TO ASSIST THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL IN ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE RELATED ITEMS ON ITS AGENDA;

17. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, HAVING REGARD TO

THE INCREASED LEVEL OF ACTIVITIES OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE,  
TO PROVIDE THE COMMITTEE WITH THE FACILITIES AND PERSONNEL  
NECESSARY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION  
AS WELL AS THE VARIOUS RESOLUTIONS ON DECOLONIZATION ADOPTED  
BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

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